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NIS COMMITTEE MEETING NO. 255

26 November 1957

1. The following were present:

Mr. D. J. Clinton State Mr. R. S. Kain State Col. D. H. Smith Army Mr. J. A. Minogue Army LCdr. H. W. Holschuh Navy Lt. Col. H. K. Avery Air Force 25X1A9a Mr. Chas. P. Berney Air Force CIA (Chairman) CIA (Secretary)

2. NIS Production Forecast

The Committee approved the NIS Production Forecast for Fiscal Years 1959-60-61, dated 26 November 1957, subject to the regular annual review at the end of the current fiscal year (refer to Item 3 NCM 254). The chairman noted the percentage of NIS production to be devoted to maintenance during the forecast period, as follows: FY 1959 - 33%; FY 1960 - 41%; FY 1961 - 50%.

The Chapter I portion of the Forecast was revised as follows to accommodate State's production deficiencies relating to Near East countries (refer to Item 3 NCM 254 and Item 2 NCM 253):

	NIS No.	Area	FY 1959	Schedule	
	24	Greece	August	1958	
	41B	South Korea	September	1958	
	41A	North Korea	November	1958	
	2	Ireland	January	1959	
	20	Albania	February	1959	
	1	United Kingdom	March	1959	
	13A	East Germany	April	- '	120
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34	Afghanistan	15	Switzerland	
31	Israel	32	Arabian Peninsula	
38	Burma	37	Ceylon	
49	Libya	47	Algeria	
40	Mongolia	61	South Africa	
43 A, B, C, D	Cambodia, Laos	86	Venezuela	
	North and South Vietnam	90	Argentina	
16	Austria	100A	Republic of	
46	Tunisia		Indonesia	

Wider Dissemination of Chapters I

The chairman referred to his memorandum of 18 November 1957 proposing a list of principal officers of the Government who, by reason of their responsibilities in formulating and executing U. S. foreign policies, should be made aware of and have access to NIS Chapters I (refer to Item 7 NCM 254). The Committee discussed the proposal and approved the following list of officials whose particular requirements for Chapters I are to be determined:

Secretary of the Interior
Secretary of Agriculture
Secretary of Commerce
Secretary of Labor
Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare
Director, Office of Defense Mobilization
Director of the Budget
Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board
President, Export-Import Bank of Washington
Chairman, Federal Communications Commission
Chairman, Board of Governors of the
Federal Reserve System
Director, National Science Foundation
Chairman, U.S. Tariff Commission

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4. Release of NIS

The Committee approved the following actions for release of NIS:

25X1X7 a. Supplemental List No. 4, dated 26 November 1957, containing NIS units recommended to S/SDMICC for release to the

staffs as deemed appropriate. /Secretary's note: Release of Supplemental List No. 2, dated 10 December 1956, and Supplemental List No. 3, dated 10 April 1957, was approved by all members of the NIS Committee, but Committee approval was inadvertently omitted from the official proceedings of the NIS Committee meetings concerned.

b. NIS 104 (Atlantic Basin), Parts I, II, III, IX, and X released to the Maritime Administration, Department of Commerce, in accordance with letter of justification dated 22 October 1957.



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6. Change in NIS Area Title

The Committee approved proposal of the State member that NIS 99 (Philippine Islands) be titled "Philippines." It was further agreed that in NIS contributions the term "Philippines" be used in the geographic context, and the term "The Republic of the Philippines" be used in the political context.

The State member noted that "West Indies" had been designated as the official name of the British Caribbean Federation, which would affect the titles and general area descriptions of NIS 81, 81A, and 81B. The Committee decided to take no action pending further investigation and report by the State member.

7. The next meeting of the NIS Committee will be held at 1000 hours on Tuesday, 17 December 1957.

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